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At the Ship Inn, Esquimalt Town.

Esquimalt and Metchosin Road District.
For Esquimalt, at K. McKenzie's Craigflower Mills.
For Metchosin, at J. C. Davis', farmer.
For Sooke, at John Muir's, Sooke.

Victoria Road District,
As follows:—
Burnside Road, at M. Rowlands' Victoria Hotel.
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Spring Ridge at W. Smith's Tap, Lion Brewery.
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Mount Tolmie, Etc., at The Richmond.
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Saanich Road,
At A Poter's Brickfield.

E. MALLANDAINE,
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Victoria, B. C., April 30th, 1869. my1

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Reduced Prices,

To suit the times.

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BENJAMIN WAKEFIELD begs to inform the public of Victoria that, having had many years experience in sweeping and cleaning Chimneys, and preventing their smoking, he is prepared to execute all orders in that line, general work included.

Orders left at Fell & Co.'s store on Fort Street, or at 3d house East of Bavaria Brewery, will be promptly attended to.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY

Supreme Court Notice.
Auction—Lumley Franklin.

The British Columbian.

FRIDAY, MAY 21, 1869.

The International Difficulties.

The speech recently delivered by Senator Sumner, upon the subject of the Alabama claims has been published with a great flourish of trumpets, in the American press. The principal effect of that speech will be to transform its author into a hero for the American people to bow down and worship. The speech, considered on its own merits, as a rhetorical effort, is undoubtedly deserving of some notice. Mr. Sumner has unquestionably devoted a large amount of attention to the subject, and prepared, with a great deal of care and no little ability, his objections and arguments against the adoption of a treaty negotiated by the American Minister, *conformably*, it turns out, with the *express instructions of his own Government!* But after wading through the six or seven columns of closely printed matter, which the elaborate essay makes in the New York papers, we fail to see that he has succeeded in establishing a single point against Great Britain, or justified by any solid reason his recommendation to reject the Clarendon–Johnson Treaty It is a very awkard circumstance, for the position taken by the American people upon the point of the recognition of the rebels as belligerents by Great Britain, that their own Government was the first to concede such recognition. By the blockade which it established soon after the rebellion broke out that Government virtually conceded belligerent rights to the Southern Confederacy; and it is absurd, it is childish to turn round now and blame a foreign nation for recognising a condition of things which it had no share whatever in promoting, and which had been forced upon it by the action of President Lincoln himself. The charge, therefore, sought to be brought against the British Government for conceding belligerent rights to the Southern Confederacy is one only set up by wily politicans to be knocked over by the first breath of reason and common sense; and when the American Government went out of its way to insist that such a trumpery charge should form an element in the subject matter for international adjudication the act could only be taken as evidence of the insincerity of that Government. The only point entitled to the slightest consideration is, Did the British Government render itself liable for the depredations committed by the Alabama? Mr. Sumner himself will not pretend that the Alabama was fitted out by order or under sanction of the British Government. It was the act of an individual or company, and no more implicated the Government than the fitting out of any other steamer at the time, because it was not made manifest to the Government that it was designed for warlike purposes. If the Government became responsible for every private, individual act, where, in reason, would its responsibility end? But this would, indeed, be dangerous ground for the Americans themselves to take. There is, perhaps, no nation that could less afford to take such a position. Let us see how it would apply to them in the Fenian question. It is charged that the British Government did not use due diligence in preventing the sailing of the Alabama. Did the Americans exercise any greater diligence in preventing an armed and completely organized force invading a neighbouring and neutral country? It may be said the case is not a parallel one. It is not parallel in every particular; yet, unfortunately, those points in which it is not parallel are the very points which give the odds against the American Government. The Fenians were enlisted, drilled, equipped and marched across the border openly and confessedly for the purpose of levying war upon a neutral neighbour. The whole organization was, from its very inception, winked at, patted on the back and semi-officially encouraged by the authorities at Washington, although the attention of the Government was repeatedly called to it by the British Minister. True, a faint attempt *was* made at the eleventh hour to interfere; but precious good care was taken that the interposition should come too late to prevent the exit of the army of invasion. It must be admitted, it *has* been admitted, that the circumstances under which the Fenians invaded Canada afford a much stronger and more legitimate ground for claiming compensation than those of the escape of the Alabama from a British port. Again: Look at the attitude of the American people and Government, anent the pending Cuban question. Has due dilligence been exercised by the United States authorities for the purpose of preventing the equipment and sailing of ships, the enlistment of volunteers and the supplying of munitions of war in aid of the Cuban revolutionists? Just turn the doctrine America wishes to apply to Great Britain upon their own proceedings, and see where they would find themselves! "It's a poor rule that won't work both ways," What's sauce for the British Lion ought to be sauce for the American Eagle. Those who live in glass-houses should not throw stones. Under all the circumstances, and having due regard to the interests and relations of the two nations, we venture to think that Great Britian went as far as she could with honour and propriety in offering to negotiate a settlement on the basis of the rejected treaty. Nothing but the most sincere desire to preserve amicable relations with the United States could have led to such a decision. The feeling was carried to the utmost extreme compatible with the honour and dignity of a great nation. There have not been wanting in England murmurs of strong disapprobation at the terms conceded, and it is extremely improbable that either Parliament or people would be willing for a renewal of a treaty on the same basis. On the other hand, the policy of the American Government in rejecting the treaty would appear to be most inconsistent and foolish. They cannot hope for better terms; in all probability they will never get as good. Great Britain has gone as far as she could go. Substantially everything that the American Minister asked was conceded. The American Government has thought proper to throw away its last card, and the civilized world will support Great Britain in declining to play the game over again.

TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL TO THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

EASTERN STATES.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Secretary Fish stated at the Cabinet Meeting yesterday that official intelligence does not confirm the triple alliance story, and he does not deem further inquiry necessary.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—At a meeting of the Typographical Union of this city, last night a son of Fred Douglas, the colored orator, applied for membership. A preamble and resolution were presented, setting forth whereas Douglas had been rejected by the Typographical Union of Denver because he was colored, it would be unbecoming in this society to admit him to membership. Over 5000 members were present. Much feeling and interest were manifested and it is believed the matter will eventually be referred to the National Typographical Union.

NEW YORK, May 15—The Universal Peace Society held its closing session to-day. Only 30 persons were present. The only action was the adoption of a resolution, protesting against the present manner of carrying out measures of peace with Indians, and urging the full transfer of Indians to the civic authority, thus making the Indians citizens, not outlaws.

The stock-holders of the *Tribune* have determined to abolish the office of managing editor. Hascard takes charge of the paper during the day, while Lawrence takes charge at night. Young thus loses his position, but is not removed.

Letters which left San Francisco on the 8th of May were distributed at the post office here before 9 o'clock this morning. The passengers arrived in 8 days from San Francisco.

EUROPE.

DUBLIN, May 15.—The remains of Daniel O'Connell were to-day, enterred in the Cemetary, Glasnevin near the city where a splendid mausoleum has been prepared for the remains. The services were very imposing and were conducted by Archbishop Cullen. It is estimated that over 8,000 people were present including many officials.

LONDON, May 15.—Johnson, American Minister, took his formal leave of the Queen by letter, and not in a personal interview as reported.

Reports which are believed to be based on good authority, are in circulation that the French Government will soon publish a peaceful manifesto and simultaneously reduce the army.

Maligne is dead.

PARIS, May 15—Political meetin s in this city continue to be attended with disorder. The Police are frequently obliged to intefere. Several arrests have been made of persons prominent in creating the disturbances. The Prefect of police has issued orders prohibiting gatherings in the streets.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15—A Presidential Proclamation has been issued, ordering the election in Virginia.

SECOND DESPATCH.

EASTERN STATES

INDIANOPOLIS, May 15—In the House of Representatives yesterday, the 15th, amendment passed notwithstanding the fact that forty-two Democrats resigned. The Chair ruled that the question was not necessary to ratify a constitutional amendment.

CHICAGO, May 15—The first through passenger train from Sacramento arrived at Omaha yesterday with about 500 passengers. Travel west from Omaha is very heavy.

NEW YORK, May 17—J. Russell Young's resignation as Managing Editor of the *Tribune* has been accepted. Whelan Reed will act as Greely's Chief of Staff.

In the trot, at Fashion course, Lucy beat American Girl in 3 straight heats. The best time was 2 25.

The *Times'* special, speaking of recent advance of gold says, under the administration and course of retrenchment and the revenue collection, the premium on gold ought to fall and the public credit in all respects to be strengthened. Such a large, quick and unexpected advance as that of last month deranges business, greatly to the detriment of merchants and the business of the country.

There is no doubt that carrying out the ideas of Grant's inaugural, with a sound Treasury policy, a proper Treasury administration would prevent these embarrassments and fluctuations, and at the same time establish the public credit upon a solid basis.

Important intelligence is expected from Cuba during the coming ten days. There is no doubt that expeditions are still being fitted out and arms and munitions of war are being transported from the U. S. to Cuba.

A *Tribune* Washington special says that the public printer Clapp has declared that he will employ colored men without regard to the action of the Printers' Union.

The Secretary of the Navy is making arrangements to dispence with the Indian names of vessels to follow the provisions of the law requiring all steam vessels of the first class to be named after the States of the Union, of the second class, after the rivers, principal towns and cities; of the third and fourth class, as the Secretary of Navy or the President may decide. Some Officers object to changing the names of vessels which became famous during the war, because they will lose their identity and history.

Fred Hawley, of Rochester, at the Ring in New York, on Saturday, made the best time ever made on a Velocipede: fifty miles in 3 hours 19 minutes and 49 seconds, actual running time.

EUROPE.

VIENNA, May 15—The Emperor, in closing the session of Diet, yesterday, made a pleasant speech. He recalled the situation of Austria in 1866, and compared the present condition of things. He rejoiced that friendly arrangements had been made with Hungary and at the condition of the finances, and he felt that peace was indispensible to the national prosperity and that present relations of Austria with other powers of the world were satisfactory. He hoped the relations between Church and State would be harmonized.

MADRID, May 15—The Cortes rejected the amendment to the Constitution in favor of making Spain a Federal Republic. The vote stood 186 against, and 64 for the amendment. The proposition for the creation of a triennial Directory to be appointed by the Cortez, has been introduced, and is now under discussion.

May 16—The Cortez yesterday rejected the proposition for the establishment of a triennial directory. It is now confidently believed that a regency will be established, with Marshal Gereno at the head.

Several members of the Circuit Guard of the city have been arrested; charges at present unknown.

Trouble has arisen with the volunteers for Cuba, in consequence of the non-payment of their bounties.

LONDON, May 16—Telegraphic advices to-night from Paris show that political agitation there is renewed to-day, and that the excitement was very great, especially in those sections of the City where the Liberal party is strongest. They say that the newspapers announced that a grand popular demonstration will be made on Monday.

May 17—The papers generally comment on the critical state of affairs in Paris. It seems to be the general impression, however, that the French Government have fomented the discontent, and will adopt oppressive measures to stay the disorder arising, with some ulterior design.

A Paris correspondent of the *Telegraph* says the opinion is general in Paris that Johnson was induced to make certain representations to the British Government, and was then to be thrown overboard by Grant's administration.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18—Flour, unchanged; wheat, choice, firm at 1 50@1 75; barley, dull, 1 15@1 40; oats, Cal., 1 35@1 75; Oregon, 1 65@1 75; gold in New York, 139¼; wheat, steady, 1 70@1 71.

Liverpool, wheat, 5s 4d.

Arrived, Steamer Pelican, 3 days 6 hours from Umpqua; Brig Constitution, Teekalet.

Sailed, May 16, Ship Avreola, Port Discovery.

May 19—Gold rose to-day to 143¼.

New Advertisements.

Colony of British Columbia, Vancouver Island, to wit:

A COURT OF ASSIZE AND GENERAL GAOL Delivery is appointed to be held on THURSDAY, the 27th inst., at the Court House, Victoria, at the hour of ELEVEN in the forenoon, before the Honorable Joseph Needham, a Justice of our Lady the Queen, assigned to enquire, hear and determine all treasons, misprisons of treasons, felonies, misdeeds, offences and injuries, whatsoever or whereosever within the said Island committed, and also to deliver all the Gaols and every the Gaol of our Lady the Queen in the said Island.

Proclamation is therefore hereby made in conformity to a precept directed and delivered to me, to all persons bound to appear at the said Court by recognizance or otherwise, to appear thereat, and all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, and other officers who have taken any inquisition, or the examination of any prisoner or witness, are required to return such recognizance, inquisition and examination, to the said Court, at the opening thereof, on the first day of its sitting.

Given under my hand at the Sheriff's Office, Victoria, on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1869.

my21 A. C. ELLIOTT, High Sheriff.

AUCTION.

FURNITURE SALE.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN

Has been instructed to sell on

Saturday, May 22nd,

At his Salesroom, Yates st.,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

A LOT OF FURNITURE,

Comprising:

Wardrobe, Sofa, Tables, Chairs, Sideboard, Bedsteads and Bedding, Bedroom Set, Blinds, Mirror, Stoves and Fixings, Fender and Irons, Lamps, Oil Cloth, Mats, Rugs, Garden and other Tools.

.....ALSO.....

A Valuable Bay Pony, well broken to the Saddle; kind and gentle; carries a lady.

.....ALSO.....

LOT HARNESS, &c., &c.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
my21 Auctioneer.

NOTICE.

NO PERSON OR PERSONS WILL BE PERMITTED to erect Booths or Stands for vending Refreshments, &c., on Craigflower Estate (the property of James Yates, Esq.), without permission from the undersigned.

my20 MARTIN JAMES DODD.

MR SEBRIGHT GREEN,

Broughton Street, Victoria.

BEGS TO CALL ATTENTION TO THE FOLLOWING PRICE LIST of PURE and DRY SHERRIES now for Sale by him in Bottle or Bulk,

Ex "PRINCE OF WALES."

Amontillado Sherry, A very dry wine,	per doz.	$15 50
Oloroso Sherry, A delicious pure Sherry,	per doz.	14 50
Golden Sherry, A fine flavored wine,	per doz.	13 50
Manzanilla Sherry, A dry exquisitely pure wine,	per doz.	12 50
Brown Sherry, A pure bodied wine,	per doz.	12 00
Pale Sherry, P. A pure light wine,	per doz.	11 00
Pale Sherry, N. Z. S., A dry and light wine,	per doz.	10.00
Pale Sherry, S., A sound dinner wine,	per doz.	9.00

The above wines are warranted pure and unadulterated, and have been selected in Spain expressly for the undersigned,

SEBRIGHT GREEN.
Broughton street, below Government. my20

NEW BRICKS.

65,000 BRICKS OF THE BEST QUALITY for Sale at the Saanich Road Brick Yard.

my19 2w ARTHUR PORTER.

BALL! BALL!

A Grand Ball will be given at the

PARK HOTEL,

ON THE

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY,

On the 24th inst.

The House will be beautifully decorated, and a Grand Transparent Picture of QUEEN VICTORIA will be illuminated.

A good Band of Music will be in attendance.

SUPPER will be served at 1 o'clock.

Admission to the Ball FREE.

Dancing will commence at 8 o'clock.

my16 WILLIAM LUSH.

New Advertisements.

$10 REWARD.

THE ABOVE SUM IS OFFERED BY the undersigned for the recovery of a Saddle and Bridle, which was attached to a horse, and which horse was taken from P. Everett's house, on the Esquimalt Road, on the evening of the 1st instant,

Victoria, May 15, 1869. R. JESSE.

KANE'S

Imperial Condensed Soap

Saves 75 per cent. of Labor and Wear and Tear.

Saves 85 per cent. in Transportation.

REMOVES

Pitch, Paint, Tar, Grease,

AND ALL KINDS OF DIRT.

Washes WITHOUT RUBBING and will not injure Hands or the finest Materials.

☞ Reference—S. Whitley, Government street.

Can be had from

MESSRS. FELL & FINLAYSON,
WILSON & RICKMAN,
THOS. RUSSELL,
P. MANETTA,
A. H. FRANCIS.

And from the Agent

J. ROBERTSON STEWART.
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THE STEAMERS

Onward and Lillooet

WILL MAKE

REGULAR TRIPS TO

YALE,

LEAVING NEW WESTMINSTER ON

Wednesdays & Saturdays.

FREIGHT.....$12 per ton,
PASSAGE.....7

N. B.—The above Steamers will not be responsible for Leekage of Liquids shipped in Tins or Glass,

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E. B. MARVIN.

SHIP CHANDLER AND

SAIL MAKER.

DEALER IN

Manilla and Hemp Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Oakum, Paints, Oils, Canvas, etc.

WHARF STREET.

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QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY

RACES

WILL BE HELD ON

BEACON HILL COURSE

ON THE 24TH MAY;

Under the Patronage of His Excellency

GOVERNOR SEYMOUR.

commencing at 2 p. m. sharp.

STEWARDS.

HON. J. W. TRUTCH, CAPT. LARCOM, R. N.
D. C. MAUNSELL, ESQ., P. H. CLARKE, ESQ.

1.—THE TRIAL STAKES of $5 each, with $40 added, for horses that have been used as hacks or in harness. Winners of $50, once, 5lbs.; twice or $100, 10lbs. extra, 11 stone 1 mile.

2.—THE QUEEN'S PLATE, a free handicap of $20 each, hlf. ft., with $75 added, two miles. Lucy, 10st 11; Greyhound, 10 7; Volreece, 10; Boston Colt, 9 12; The Admiral, 9 9; Royal Bill, 9 7; The Governor, 9 3; Royal Charlie, 9; Prince of Wales, 9; Joe Bowers, 8 7; Paddy, 8 7; Gr. g. Jim, 8 7; Ch. g Jim. 8 7, Old George, 8 4; Grey Jim, 8; Cafe au lait, 8; Annie, 8; Fanny, 8; Gr. m. Lizzie, 9 9; Joe Lane, 9 9.

3.—THE GOVERNOR'S PURSE, of $40, added to a Sweepstakes of $5 each. Winners of $50 once, 5 lbs; twice or $100, 10 lbs extra; 9st 7lb; 1 mile.

4.—THE HURDLE RACE of $5 each, with $50 added. Winners to carry 12lbs extra. Two miles, over six flights of hurdles. Gentlemen riders, 12 stone.

5.—THE SCURRY STAKES of $1, with $20 added. Nine stone entrances to be made on the course. Winners excluded. Three horses to start for each race, or no public money will be added.

Acceptances for the Handicap to be declared and entrances made for the other races on Friday 21st, between the hours of 3 and 5 p.m., to P. H. Clarke, Esq., at the office formerly occupied by Mr. Sebright Green, on Government street, opposite the London House.

The amount to be paid to the Race Fund for the privilege of erecting Booths on the Course for the Sale of Liquors, Refreshments, &c., on the Race Day, is fixed at $20. Written applications with a deposit of the money must be made, for the above privilege, at the same time and place.

CLERKS OF THE COURSE.
W. S. SEBRIGHT GREEN, ESQ.,
CHARLES GREEN, ESQ.

TREASURER.
HON. M. W. T. DRAKE.

Mr. G. Richardson is authorised to collect subscriptions.

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New Advertisements.

VICTORIA ANNUAL

GRAND REGATTA,

May 25th, 1869,

Under the Patronage of

HIS EXCELLENCY

GOVERNOR SEYMOUR.

Capt Ely, Com. HMS in pt	Mr F. Garesche
Hon. P. J. Hankin	Hon. W. A. G. Young
Mr D. C. Maunsell	Mr L. Franklin
Mr J. Vogel	Mr L. Karney
Mr R. Burnaby	Mr J. H. Turner
Mr C. Good	Mr Jos. Wilson
Mr W. McCres	Dr Tuzo
Mr Fiterre	Mr E. Marvin
Mr D. W. Higgins	Mr M T Johnson
Lieut. Osborne, R. N.	Mr G. Sutro
Mr James Fell	Mr C. W. Wallace
Mr A. W. Piper	Hon. J. W. Trutch
Mr J. Robson	Capt. McNiel
Capt. Cooper	Mr E. Grancini

Mr G. J. STUART, Honorary Secretary.

A Grand Regatta will take place on the above date, at the Gorge, Victoria Arm, to commence punctually at 1 o'clock p.m.

1st Race—The GOVERNOR'S PURSE—Open Race for four-oared boats, not outrigged. Entrance $5; $30 added. Long Course.

2nd Race—Sculler's Match; two pair of sculls. No coxswain allowed. Entrance $2 50; $15 added. Long Course,

3rd Race—Sculler's Match; Single pair sculls. Entrance $2; $15 added. Short Course.

4th Race—For four-oared boats, not outrigged, not exceeding 28 feet keel. Entrance $5. Prize $30. Long Course.

5th Race—Whitehall boats; pair of oars. Entrance $2; $15 added. Long Course.

6th Race—MRS. SEYMOUR'S PURSE, $20, for four-oared racing gigs and outriggers. Entrance $5. Long Course.

7th Race—Blue Jacket Race; Prize $30; 2 oar boats. Long Course.

8th Race—For Canoes, with Indians. Prize $20 for the winning canoe.

9th Race—Tubs. Single man, with paddle or shovel. Prize $10. Course to be fixed by Umpire.

10th Race—For Boys; four-oared boats. Entrance $1; $10 added. Short Course.

11th Race—Hunt the Duck. Not to exceed half-an-hour. Volunteers to draw. Prize $20,

RULES.

No fouling allowed.
Two boats to start or no race.
The Regatta will commence at 1 p. m. precisely.
Long Course, from the Gorge, round Dead Man's Island, passing between the Island and the Western Shore going down, and back to the Gorge.
Short Course, from the Gorge, round Flag buoy, passing between the buoy and western shore going down, and back to the Gorge.
All disputes, either before or after any Race, shall be referred, through the Umpire, to the Committee of Management, whose decision shall be final.
All entrances to be made and entrance fees paid at the Bee-hive Hotel, not later than noon on Saturday, the 22nd inst.
The names of all boats entered with descriptive flags or colors to be handed in at the same time.

Judge.....Mr. LUMLEY FRANKLIN.
Umpire.....CAPT. COOPER.

Arrangements will be made to convey the Public by water, free of charge, to the Gorge, by boats leaving the Hudson Bay Co.'s wharf.
The first boats will leave at 11 o'clock, when Ladies and Children will have the preference of first boats.
Subsequent boats will leave as soon afterwards as possible.

By Order of the Committee,
G. J. STUART,
Hon. Sec.

COOK'S FERRY HOUSE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having purchased the interest of T. G. Kirkpatrick, in the

Cook's Ferry House,

at Spence's Bridge, notifies the travelling Public that the Establishment will be conducted by him.

The Table will be well supplied, and the best quality of Liquors and Cigars will be found at the Bar.

☞ Good Stabling and Feed for Horses.

ORLANDO EVERETT.
Spence's Bridge, May 1st, 1869. my9

G. SUTRO & Co.,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

HAVANA CIGARS,

TOBACCO,

Meershaum Pipes, &c.,

Corner Wharf and Yates Streets.

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BOOKS; STATIONERY;

AND FANCY GOODS,

Ex. "CEROPS" and recent arrivals.

—ALSO—

STAPLE STATIONERY;

Comprising an Assortment too well known to specify in detail.

ON HAND—

Admirality Coast Charts,
Photographic Albums,
Mathematical Instruments,
Fine Pocket Cutlery,
Gold Pens,
Copying Presses,
Printing and Wrapping Paper,
Musical Instruments,
Music—manuscript and printed.

RECEIVE SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR

BLACKWOOD'S MAGAZINE,

AND THE

English Quarterly Reviews.

☞ Have on hand the most standard and popular books upon Science and Art, History, Religion, Law Medical and School, Novels, Juvenile and Toy Books.

T. N. HIBBEN & Co.
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The British Columbian.

FRIDAY, MAY 21, 1869.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

May 20—Slp Lady Franklin, Pritchard, San Juan
Stmr Enterprise, Swanson, New Westminster

CLEARED.

May 20—Wilson G. Hunt, Waitt, Port Townsend
Slp Lady Franklin, Pritchard, San Juan
Stmr Enterprise, Swanson, New Westminster

AUCTION SALE THIS DAY.

J. P. DAVIES—Wharf street—will sell, at 11 o'clock, at Salesroom; Lemons, Horse Shoe Nails, Axes, Hardware, Tumblers, Clocks, Watches, &c.

A Complimentary Demonstration.

It is proposed to give a complimentary dinner to the Hon. W. A. G. Young, upon the occasion of his leaving the Colony. We have had occasion to differ with Mr Young upon political grounds; but that circumstance leaves us all the more free to say that few if any have left the Colony who were better entitled to such a demonstration than he is. Closely identified with the former separate Colonies of Vancouver Island and British Columbia from their earliest history, as well as with the United Colony of British Columbia. Mr. Young has borne a very prominent part in the administration of affairs in the British Pacific, during the past decade; and it is only fair to say that during that period he has earned for himself a reputation for administrative ability and assiduity in the discharge of official duty, of which he has a right to feel proud. In his capacity of President of the Legislative Council, during the last two sessions, but especially during the last, Mr. Young won golden opinions from all sections and parties; and it is just now, when he is about to take his departure, that one really begins fully to realize the loss the Colony is about to sustain. Socially and personally we can equally unite with our fellow colonists in according to the subject of the present remarks a fitting tribute of respect and appreciation, and in expressing sincere regret at having to lose so amiable a citizen and so able and useful a public man. No words from us will be necessary in order to cause the people to come forward upon Wednesday next, the day named for the dinner, to testify their personal regard for Mr Young, and their appreciation of his services, as a prominent member of the Government.

LIGHTNING STROKE.—During the thunder-storm which occurred on Wednesday night, one terrific clap was so sensibly felt by the community generally, that it seemed pretty certain a lightning stroke had taken place within or near the city. Yesterday morning revealed the fact that violent electrical intercommunication had taken place between the clouds and the earth. The tall tree in front of Capt. Stamp's dwelling house, across James Bay, told the tale to every eye cast towards Beacon Hill, and it now stands a blasted and striking witness of the wonderful power of that subtle element which, in its mysterious workings, eludes in a high degree the comprehension of the human mind. The stroke occurred about ten o'clock, and from the apparent effects upon the tree and other circumstances, the cloud that bore the thunderbolt must have been charged to the highest degree. The tree is about 200 feet high and it is literally rent in twain from top to bottom. One side is shattered and torn, or rather seems to have been blown off, and large knots, the roots of the limbs which had been cut when the tree was trimmed for a flagstaff, were thrown like bolts a distance of from one to two hundred yards; one large piece being thrown nearly to the door of the White Horse Hotel. The escape of the dwelling houses of Capt. Stamp and Dr. Tuzo may be altogether attributed to the circumstance of this stately tree, towering so high above them, acting as a lightning-rod and catching the fiery bolt in its earthward course. The effect of the electric shock, however, was unpleasantly sensible to the household of Dr. Tuzo, who describes the sensation produced upon himself as that of being blown up, and gently let down again, and a moment or two elapsed before he realized that he was lying in his bed. Mrs. Tuzo had a more severe shock. She was thrown upon the floor, and for a moment paralyzed, but in no way seriously injured. We have heard of slight damage having been done to trees in several places, and it is said that the fruit trees in the Admiral's garden at Esquimalt were considerably injured by the lightning in that vicinity.

THE IMMIGRATION SCHEME.—The assisted Female Immigration Board met yesterday, at the office of H. Rhodes Esq., the Hon. H. P. P. Crease in the Chair. The Hon. Secretary (Mr. Mason) having reported the number of applications, actual and probable, for female servants, it was decided that the Board would not, for the present, contemplate bringing out more than twenty females. A resolution was passed suggesting to the Governor the advisibality of applying the remaining moiety of the Legislative Grant towards bringing out a few families (man and wife only) from the agricultural classes, and settling them in a suitable district to be specially set apart for that purpose. This the Board propose doing in conjunction with one of the Emigration Societies now in existence in England, by which a share of the outlay would of course, be borne. The sanction and authority of His Excellency are asked, to enable the Board to inaugurate what it is hoped may prove to be the nucleus of a much larger scheme of assisted immigration.

THE SCOTTISH VOCALIST.—A few days ago we mentioned that Mr. Kennedy, the celebrated Scottish vocalist, had arrived in California, and hinted that it was just possible he might be induced to extend his tour as far as Victoria. We are happy to learn that several gentlemen have since interested themselves in the matter, and that lists have been opened with a view to ascertaining whether they would be justified in encouraging Mr Kennedy to come here. The result so far has been highly satisfactory. Although no more than a commencement has been made, about 200 tickets have already been engaged, and it is confidently expected that sufficient encouragement will be given to justify an invitation being sent down. We have conversed with a gentleman in this city who had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Kennedy both in Scotland and in Canada, and we feel well assured, not only from his account of the entertainment, but from the opinions of the press, that there is a rich treat in store for this community, should the arrangement be carried out.

BANK EMBEZZLEMENT CASE.—Mr. A. G. Gilkinson was yesterday committed for trial at the Court of Assizes, to be held on the 27th inst., upon a charge of embezzling $300 from the Bank of British North America. From the evidence of Mr. Nicholson, it appears, that on the 31st day of August last, he "Nicholson" paid into the hands of Gilkinson, as accountant of the Bank, $300 to be placed to his credit, and from the evidence of James Gillon, Esq, interim Manager of the Bank, that money was not placed to the ledger credit of Mr. Nicholson.

NANAIMO.—On Wednesday the Sparrowhawk was at Nanaimo, taking in a supply of coal for her cruise North. The ship Atlanta, from San Francisco, was also at Nanaimo for coal. The people of Nanaimo wese preparing for the celebration of the Queen's Birthday, the principal item in the programme being a Sabbath School pic-nic on one of the lovely islands opposite the town. The Rev. Mr. Garrett is about to leave Nanaimo. Recent rains have imparted a fresh complexion to everything, and crops as well as gardens are looking exceedingly well.

FROM NANAIMO.—The str. Sir James Douglas, Capt. Clark, arrived from Nanaimo, yesterday, at 4:45 p.m., with about 20 passengers and a quantity of stock and produce. The Government surveying party came from Cowichan on the Douglas, having completed their task of surveying the ground without any further trouble from the Indians. The Douglas towed out the Shooting Star, coal-laden for San Francisco.

WOOD GATHERING.—Of the hundreds of persons who visited the blasted tree at Capt. Stamp's residence, nearly every one might be seen returning with a relic of that once stately tree. One gentleman has placed us under obligations by placing a "splinter" upon our table.

FOR OLYMPIA.—The Wilson G. Hunt, Capt., Waitt, sailed for Olympia and Ports on the Sound yesterday at half-past one o'clock, with about 30 passengers. She will return here early on Monday with visitors to witness the National Celebration.

ROY'S WHALING EXPEDITION.—From Mr. Kriemler, who came from Nanaimo by the Douglas, yesterday, we learn that Capt. Roys' party have left Deep Bay and have gone north to try their luck. Knight Cove will probably be their first encampment.

WHAT IN THE CAUSE?—Gold, it will be seen, rose to 144¾ in San Francisco on Thursday. The rise is sudden and alarming; but whether attributable to internal or external conditions we cannot decide.

GOOD TIME.—It will be seen by reference to our telegraphic columns that 50 miles has been made on a velocipede in 3 hours, 19 minutes and 49 seconds! That is certainly fast traveling.

COAL STOCK.—Since the sale of the Comox Coal Company's stock to the San Francisco buyer, the shares in the Company are looking up. $1500 was offered for a share yesterday and refused, the holder asking $2000.

CHERRIES RIPE!—The first ripe cherries of the season were exhibited for sale, yesterday, in the window of Mr. Henry Waller, Fort street.

A SALUTE.—Preparations are being made for Royal Salutes to be given on the 24th, at sunrise and at sunset, either on Beacon Hill or the Hudson's Bay Co's Wharf.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The str. Enterprise sailed for New Westminster at 3 o'clock this morning, and will return at an early hour to-morrow.

THE G S WRIGHT sailed from Portland yesterday for Victoria and the Sound. She will be due here to-morrow.

THE ORIFLAMME is advertised to sail from Port and for San Francisco, on Tuesday, the 25th inst.

AUCTION SALE.—Messrs. J. P. Davies & Co. will hold a sale of goods at their salesroom to-day at Wharf Street. See Advertisement.

THE GUSSIE TELFAIF will leave Portland to day for Victoria.

THE ACTIVE will sail from San Francisco to-morrow, for Victoria.

SCOTCH HOUSE.—A McLean & Co are just opening a fine assortment of Summer hats, and clothing received by last express. *

A school committee-man writes: "We have a schoolhouse large enough to accommodate 400 pupils four stories high."

George Peabody's buildings in London now give shelter to 1971 poor people.

An Illinois railway is getting freight cars built, on which are painted, "From Ocean to Ocean—No Transfer."

In 1868, England had a population of 21,500,000; Scotland of 2,255,000, and Ireland of 5,500,000.

The French mission is said to have cost General Dix $2,000 a year more than his salary.

The fashionable Church of Chicago has rented its pews for the ensuing year for $100,000.

A. T. Stewart has offered two millions for the franchise of the Broadway Railroad.

John C. Clark, of Texas, having left an estate of several millions, and no known heirs, the State has taken possession.

☞ He who drinks any but Fell's coffee is liable to drink trash. Beware of spurious imitations. *

New Advertisements.

Auction

IMPORTANT SALE OF

REAL ESTATE,

Including a First class Two-Story Brick Store and Lot, in Commercial Row, Wharf Street, Desirable Brick Residence and Grounds attached, on Collinson Street, Business Property on the Corner of Johnson and Broad Streets, Country Lands, &c.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN

Is instructed to sell on

Wednesday, May 26th,

At his Salesroom, Yates Street.

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

The following most desirable Property:

James Bay,

Town Lots, Nos. 917 and 918, near the residence of Mr. Tiedeman.

.....ALSO.....

Homestead Property,

That well-built and comodious Brick Residence, next that of Mr. Sayward, on Collinson Street, including the large sized Lot, No. 1211, on which it stands, forming an Extensive Garden, being well adapted for a Family Residence and Homestead.

.....ALSO.....

Wharf Street Store,

That Superior Fireproof, 2 Story Brick Store, and Lot No. 14, Block 77, Commercial Row, Wharf Street, at present occupied by T. L. Stahlschmidt, Esq.

This Building is constructed in the best manner, and is situated in the most desirable position for almost any description of Wholesale Business. The terms of sale, which are mentioned below, are most favorable to the purchaser.

.....ALSO.....

Johnson St. Property,

Town Lot No. 159, situated at the S. W. corner of Broad and Johnson Streets, with a Frontage on Bailey Street in the rear, including 6 Cottages thereon, with the Grocery Store on the corner.

This Property is leased temporarly at only $27 per month, and can be made to produce an increased rental.

.....ALSO.....

Lease Property,

That well built Store, on the S. E. corner of Douglas and Cormorant Streets, together with Lease of the Land, 22x104 feet, at $1 per month for three years.

.....ALSO.....

Esquimalt District,

Sections 61, 62, 64, & 65.

.....ALSO.....

Metchosin District,

Sections 61, 62, 63,

.....ALSO.....

Town Lot No. 46, Putnam Street.

TERMS:

Ten per cent. Deposit on the fall of the hammer.

On Brick Building and Johnson Street Property, One-third cash, Two-thirds at 2 years, with ten per cent. per annum Interest

On Wharf Street Brick Store and Lot, One-third in July next, Two-thirds in three years, with ten per cent. per annum Interest.

Remaining Property, One-half cash, one-half at six months with one per cent. per month Interest.

Acts of purchase at buyer's expense.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
my20 Auctioneer.

New Advertisments.

AUCTION.

SALE OF

Furniture,
Horses,
Vehicles,
Cows and Calves,
Poultry, &c., &c.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN

Has been instructed by the

Hon. W. A. G. YOUNG,

To sell, on

Thursday, May, 27th,

At his Residence, James Bay,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

The whole of his well-selected

Furniture,
China & Glassware,
Choice Engravings, etc.

.....ALSO.....

Pony Phaeton, Horses broken to Saddle or Harness.

.....ALSO.....

Cows and Calves, of Superior breed, and a lot of fowls.

.....ALSO.....

A Bradford Washing, Wringing and Mangling Machine, &c.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
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EXPRESS LINE STAGES

EVERY MONDAY MORNING,

RUNNING THROUGH

TO BARKERVILLE

IN EIGHT DAYS.

Fast Freight contracted for at

Greatly Reduced Rates.

For Rate of Passage and Price of Freight, apply to

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YATES STREET, Victoria,
Next to Wells, Fargo & Co. ma28

VICTORIA MARKET,

Corner of Johnson & Waddington Streets.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF FRESH MEAT, of the best quality, constantly on hand,

Also, a fine assortment of

Sugar-Cured Hams, Breakfast Bacon and Smoked Tongues, &c.

Of our own Curing this Season, great care having been taken to make them the best in the Market.

Also, a daily supply of FRESH VEGETABLES.

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LONDON MARKET.

CORNER YATES AND DOUGLAS STREETS.

VICTORIA, V. I.

F. REYNOLDS,

(Contractor to the Navy.)

Meat of the best description always on hand.

☞ Families supplied on the most reasonable terms. Meat sent to any part of the town, and shipping supplied with punctuality.

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And Wholesale dealers in Fine

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—AND—

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CALIFORNIA WINES!

Clarets and Brandies.

A Large Stock of Bonded Wines and Brandies always on hand. To Dealers purchasing in large quantities a Liberal Discount will be made for Cash. All Orders will receive prompt attention.

Brandies.
IN BULK AND CASE.
Hennessy,
Martelle,
Sazerac,
J. Robin,
Arzac-Seignette,
Otard Dupuy,
Renault.

Whiskies,
Scotch,
Irish,
Bourbon.

Claret Wines.
G. Preller & Co.,
St. Julien,
Chateau Perganson,
Chateaux Margaux,
St. Emilion,
Chateau de Portets Lognec,
St. Laubes,
La Rose.

Champagne Wines,
Napoleon Cabinet,
Bouche,
E. Cliquot,
Grape Leaf,
Jules Mumm,
Moselle,
Muscatel Moselle,
Jacketas, &c., &c.

White Wines.
Haut Sauterne,
Rudesheime,
Scharlagberger,
Hockeimer.

Ciders,
Oregon and Bancroft.

Porter.
Blood, Wolfe & Co.,
Byass.

Liqueurs.
Curacoa,
Maroschino,
Cassis,
Annisette,
Cherry Cordial,
Assorted Liqueurs, fancy bottles.

Jamaica Jinger and Peppermint.

Rums.
Jamaica,
Demarara,
New England.

APPLE JACK.

Gins.
S. B. & Co., OLD TOM, in Bulk and Case.
PURE SCHIEDAM HOLLAND GIN, J. K. Z., in Bulk and Case.

Sherry and Port Wines.
IN BULK AND CASE.

Bitters.
Boker's
Hostetter's
Orange,
Cocktail,
Stoughton,

Absinthe.
Pernod,
Berger,
Sainsevain Wine Bitters.

AGENCY OF

Sainsevain's Wine and Wine Bitters,
Hostetter's Bitters, Boker's Bitters

Bancroft's Cider.

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NAPOLEON'S CABINET CHAMPAGNE,
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J. P. DAVIES & CO,

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Salesroom — Fireproof Stone Building Wharf Street, near Yates.

CASH ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS.

Friday.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Will sell,

AT SALESROOM,

THIS DAY,

Friday, May 21st,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

For account of whom it may concern.

15 cs Lemons, half and whole
4 sks G. Horse Shoe Nails
Axes, Handled Chissels
Hardware, Tumblers
Decanters, Albums
Cruet Stands, Indian Beads
Axletree, with Patent Boxes
Clocks, Watches
1 Long Rung Ladder
&c. &c. &c.
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SATURDAY NEXT

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

Will sell, at the

Cattle Sale Yard,

TO-MORROW,

Saturday, May 22,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

1 Large Mule, works well in Single or Double Harness, or under Saddle.
1 Work Horse.
2 Cows and Calves.
China and Polish Geese.
Fine Fat Ducks.
Spanish Fowls.
Hens and Chickens. my19

NOTICE.

THE HALF WAY HOUSE,

SAANICH ROAD,

Is open for the reception of Fishing parties and the Public generally.

Good Beds

and accommodation for Man and Horse.

☞ There are Boats on Prospect and Beaver Lakes for the use of parties frequenting above house, free of charge.

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WANTED,

A TEACHER for the Public School at Yale.

All applications must be made (post paid) before the 1st June next.

For further particulars apply to

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May 6th, 1869.

ICE! ICE! ICE!!

THE only Ice in this city is to be found at the

ALHAMBRA SALOON,

Where the Subscriber dispenses

Mint Juleps,
Sherry Cobblers,
Brandy Smashes,
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And other Fancy and Cooling Drinks in the most approved styles.

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COLONIST BUILDING, GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B.

THANKS his numerous Patrons for their liberal support, and assures them that it will be his constant study to merit a continuance of their favors.

W. N. calls attention to his present stock of

Carriage, Concord, Buggy, Light and Heavy

HARNESS,

Which for Style and Durability is unequalled on this coast, and he having a thorough knowledge of the business in its various branches, and employing none but first class tradesmen in the departments, is a sufficient guarantee that all orders will be attended to promptly and completed in the best style of workmanship, and at the lowest possible prices.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Riding Whips "by late arrivals."
Horse Clothing in Stock and made to order.
Carriage Trimming and repairing done on the shortest notice.
☞ The Trade supplied on advantageous terms.
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OUTFITTERS AND GENERAL DEALERS.

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ADJOINING MESSRS. HIBBEN & CO.'S BOOKSTORE.

WOULD INFORM the People of British Columbia, and Visitors from adjacent countries, that they have constantly on hand a large assortment of

Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods,

Also a great variety of

Second hand Goods, such as Guns, Pistols, Musical Instruments, Gold and Silver Watches, Jewelry, Trnnks, Valises, etc., etc.,

All of which they offer very cheap for

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N. B. We have just received, direct from England, a large and beautiful assortment of

PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS,

which we intend to sell 50 per cent lower than they can be bought in the city.

☞ Ladies' and Gents' cast off Clothing bought and sold.

CLOTHES CLEANED AND REPAIRED.
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Scotch House,

FORT STREET.

A. M'LEAN & Co.,

Importers of all kinds of Men's and Boys'

Clothing, Underclothing, Hosiery, Hats, Caps,

GLOVES, BOOTS.

WATERPROOF GOODS, &c., &c.

and receive direct shipments, by every steamer, from the best English and Scotch Houses.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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WOLFF & MORRIS,

KEEP constantly on hand a full assortment of

Boots,
Shoes,
Hats,
and Clothing,

Of all Sizes and Qualities.

YATES STREET,
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Bee Hive Hotel.

JAMES COOPER,

(SUCCESSOR O E. R. THOMAS,)

Wine and Spirit Merchant

SHIPPING AND FAMILIES SUPPLIED.

CAPTAIN COOPER, FORMERLY LOYD'S Agent, begs to notify Ship Masters and Agents of Marine Insurance Companies that he is prepared to devote attention to the Surveying of Hulls, and Sea Damage on Cargo. Any surveys entrusted to him will be reported with correctness and fidelity. ma1

GREAT REDUCTION!

TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT.

Encourage Home Manufacture

THE UNDERSIGNED takes pleasure in announcing a Great Reduction in the Retail Prices of his

Candies, Almonds,

Gum Drops, Tondant's Cordial Drops, Chocolate Cream, Burned Almonds.

And all other kinds without end, will be sold at 75cents per pound.

WHOLESALE PRICES TO CORRESPOND.

Cheaper than in San Francisco.

A. W. PIPER,
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FRANKLYN RESTAURANT,
Victoria V. I.

CHARLES FORD,

RESPECTFULLY informs his Friends and the Public that the above place will be conducted by himself, and that particular attention will be paid to cleanliness and good order.

Corner Government and Cormorant St's.
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New Advertisements

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FROM THE SOUND

OREGON & CALIFORNIA,

WILL FIND AT

WILLIAM WILSON'S

Opposite the Post Office,

A LARGE AND SUPERIOR STOCK OF

BRITISH OUTFITTING,

IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLAND.

FOR SALE,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL,

CHEAP.

CLOTHING, HOSIERY, Hats & Gloves, Underclothing.

Furniture, Bedding, Mirrors,

CARPETS, OILCLOTH, &c.,

Cheaper than ever, for Cash.

J. SEHL, Importer and Manufacturer of all kinds of Furniture, Bedding, Mirrors, and Upholstery Goods, has just received, in addition to his large and well-assorted Stock of Furniture, a large quantity of Chairs of all kinds, suitable for the upper country trade; Sofa and Bed Springs; Gilt Rosewood and Walnut Picture Mouldings and oval Frames, all sizes; Looking plates from 8x10 to 20x40. Culled hair, moss, and spring Mattrasses and Lounges always on hand and made to order. Curtains, Cornices, Window Blinds, Matting, Oil Cloth, and Carpets. Children's Carriages from $7 50 upwards. Finishing Nails, Screws, Brass hinges, Picture Nails, and a variety of Hardware. Furniture made and repaired. Chairs, Sofas, Lounges, &c., re-covered in Hair, Cloth, Plush, Damask, &c.

Everything warranted as represented.

2500 yards best quality Tapestry Carpet in or out of Bond.

I am determined not to be undersold by anybody.

JACOB SEHL.
Government Street, cor. Broughton.
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NOTICE.

FROM and after this date, the Municipal Tax of One-Eighth of One per Cent, on Property insured against Fire within the City limits, will be charged to Insurers, in addition to the established Premiums.

Royal Insurance Company,
p p. SPROAT & Co., Agents.
Imperial Insurance Company,
p.p. J. R. STEWART, Agent.
Phœnix Assurance Company:
per THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent.
Northern Assurance Company,
per JANION RHODES & Co., Agents.

Victoria, B. C., 8th May, 1869.
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JOHN GOODACRE,

BUTCHER,

ORIENTAL MARKET.

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DEALER IN

MEATS

OF THE BEST DESCRIPTION.

HAMS, BACON & SPICED BEEF.

Meat supplied on the most reasonable terms, and forwarded to any part of the town FREE OF CHARGE.

SHIPPING SUPPLIED.
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NOTICE.

In Re W. Huxtable, Grocer, &c.

ALL Debts due to the above Estate must be paid to the undersigned forthwith, who alone is authorized to give a receipt for the same.

By order of the Trade Assignees,

J. G. NORRIS.
Victoria, April 20th, 1869. ap21

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CRACKER BAKERY,

ETABLISHED IN 1860.

Navy Bread, Pilot Bread, Cabin Biscuit, Soda Crackers, Sugar Crackers, Butter Crackers.

And every description of Buiscuit supplied,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

at the shortest notice.

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Commission Buyers & General Agents.

Particular attention given to selecting and purchasing Goods for the British Columbia Trade.

AGENTS for the California and Victoria Packet Line of Sailing Vessels.

☞ Cash Advances made on Consignments.
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Spare no effort in selecting and keeping an assortment of the choicest articles that can be obtained, so as to rival the best Groceries on the Pacific Coast.

FELL'S COFFEE has now stood the test of the last eight years, and has superseded entirely the imported

CHARTRES COFFEE,

and is now kept and sold by all respectable dealers.

To large consumers they offer every facility as regards

Prices and Quality.

Sea Stores—they can be bought in bond—or Duty Paid, and all goods whether for the Royal Navy at Esquimalt, or at any part of the City or Surburbs, will be promptly delivered by our express waggon free of costs.

Always ask for FELL'S COFFEE. ma16

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FINE RESIDENCE to be leased for a short or long term, on Blanchard Street, at the head of Cormorant Street, including two lots forming a Garden well stocked with matured Fruit Trees. The House contains a Large Sitting Room, Dining Room, and four Bedrooms, Kitchen and Scullery. There are also Outhouses, a Carriage House and Stable with two stalls, on the side street, Chicken House, Well of Water with Force Pump, and every desirable convenience attached to the premises. Apply to

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THAT commodious Residence containing Seven excellent Rooms, late in the occupation of C. W. R. THOMPSON, Esq., situate on Queen's Avenue [The Road leading to the Lion Brewery]. There is a large and well appointed garden, with two never failing wells of Water, Stabling, Outhouses and every convenience.

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IMPORTERS & DEALERS IN

BOOTS AND SHOES,

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KEEP constantly on hand a complete assortment of goods in their line, and soon expect, direct from Europe, a large invoice of BOOTS AND SHOES, and will sell them at reasonable prices

FOR CASH.

Observe the place, the Brick Building, adjoining the St. Nicholas Hotel, Government street, Victoria.
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WILSON G. HUNT,

W. J. WAITT, MASTER,

LEAVES Victoria for Olympia and other ports on Puget Sound, every

WEDNESDAY MORNING

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

This Steamer possesses very superior accommodation. For Freight or Passage, apply on board.

Passengers for Oregon, via Olympia, will be ticketed through from the latter place to Portland for $11.

J. MYRICK,
Agent Oregon Steam Nav. Co.
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IS PREPARED to execute orders for every description of Vehicle, and to give a written guarantee for durability and neatness, if required. A general assortment of Waggons kept constantly on hand, cheap for Cash. Carriage lumber, Bands and Tips for Poles and Shafts, Clips and spindles, for sale. In fact, a general assortment always on hand.

Horse Shoeing and everything in the line strictly attended to with promptness.
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DR. CHING FUN,

SURGEON AND PHYSICIAN,

(Just arrived from China.)

TREATS Patients on the Oriental Principle. Office, Brick Building, Cormorant Street, opposite Tai Soong & Co., Victoria, V. I.
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FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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INSTITUTED 1803

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Losses adjusted and promptly paid by

J. ROBERTSON STEWART,
General Agent for B. C.
Victoria, March 16 1869. ma16

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LIFE ASSURANCE COMPAY,

GLASGOW.

ESTABLISHED.....1838.

Capital Stock.....$3,000,000.
Annual Revenue.....$600,000.

THIS Company offers to the Public the combined advantages of perfect Security, moderate premiums, liberal participation in profits and great freedom in respect of foreign residence and travel, and has powers under special Act of Parliament which simplify discharge of claims in event of assured dying abroad.

Prospectuses and every information can be obtained from the undersi ned who is fully empowered to accept risks.

J. ROBERTSON STEWART,
General Agent for B. C.

Medical Officer,
J. W. POWELL, Esq., M. D.
VICTORIA, March 16th, 1869.

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Groceries, Provisions,

FRENCH PRESERVES,

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Tobacco, Boots, &c.

ALWAYS ON HAND a large assortment, in Bond or Duty Paid.

Victoria B. C. ap25

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WE HAVE just received by "PRINCE OF WALES" and last Express, large additions to our Stock for Spring and Summer Trade, and now offer for sale a full assortment of First Class Goods in every department, Well adapted for either

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buyers. The whole have been very carefully selected in Europe.

J. H. TURNER, & Co.

Dress Goods,
Silks,
Shawls,
Mantles,
Linens,
Sheetings,
Shirtings,
Blankets,
Flannels,
Curtains,
Carpets,
Rugs,
Mats,
Cloths,
Hosiery,
Gloves,
Underclothing,
Baby Linen,
Lace Goods,
Embroideries,
Masonic Goods,
Hats,
Bonnets,
Flowers,
Feathers,

ver, large assortment of

FANCY GOODS,

&c., &c., &c.,

Fresh supplies to arrive each Steamer.
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